Minutes of Selectmen's Work Session

10 March 2011

Members present: Stephanie Gray, Chairman, R. Stephen Leighton and Lynn Sweet.

The Work Session was called to order at 9:00 A.M.

Chris Dustin (Fire & Rescue) and Ryan Ridley representing the Professional Vehicle Corporation attended.

Notice of a request for bids for the purchase and manufacture of a new ambulance was published in the Foster's Daily Democrat on March 3, 2011, and posted at the Post Office and Town Hall. All bids were to be received by 9 A.M. on March 10, 2011, and opened at that time.

A bid in the amount of \$166,639. was received from Professional Vehicle Corporation. No other bids were received.

After review of the bid documents, the Board asked the bidder to remove everything to do with air horns, and stressed that "no air horns" are to be included. The bid was revised accordingly.

A motion was made, seconded and voted to accept the bid from the Professional Vehicle Corporation for the revised amount of \$163,967. This figure includes the reductions for the adjustments requested by the Board. It was noted that financing and the question of a possible "Ford" rebate were still to be determined.

The Board reviewed the proposed amendments to be presented at Town Meeting.

Correspondence was read.

After consideration, a motion was made, seconded and voted to accept the minutes from the November 30, 2010, December 14, 2010, January 26, 2011 and February 23, 2011 Selectmen's Meetings.

The work session adjourned at 9:40 A.M.